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TO:

Board of Oil, Gas and Mining

THRU:

Lowell P. Braxton, Administrator

FROM:

D. Wayne Hedberg, Permit Supervisor/Reclamation

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RE:

Kennecott, UCD Modernization Project - Phase I,

Grinding Plant & Access Road Site Grading Activities,

ACT/035/002 - I, Salt Lake County, Utah

Attached is an Executive Summary for a revision which Kennecott Minerals Company proposes for its Bingham Canyon Mining operations. The Utah Copper Division Modernization Project will be permitted in two (2) phases by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining. Phase I activities will involve disturbance of approximately 163 acres in a previously undisturbed unpermitted area (some limited dry-land farming has occurred). A bond estimate for this area has been calculated. The bond for Phase I of the UCD Modernization Project has been submitted by Kennecott in the amount of \$86,860. This bond will be revised to include additional disturbances and reclamation costs associated with Phase II, once it is approved by the Division. The Division requests that the Board concur with the form and amount of surety for Phase I operations.

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